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Medical - Request for Reimbursement of Medical Travel

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1. It is requested that Headquarters actively consider reimbursing [redacted] for expenses in connection with the removal of his infant son and wife (as attendant) from [redacted] in connection with probable surgical intervention at [redacted] as advised by two [redacted] physicians (one American and one Austrian). Travel began on 30 August 1956. Travel expenses, excluding taxis etc., were \$645.50 for which receipts will be forwarded separately.
2. We have delayed the submission of the request as we understood that new regulations covering this type of travel were in the process of implementation at Headquarters. We have recently learned, however, that some similar claims have been processed by Headquarters. As Headquarters is aware our cover facility has the legal sanction to pay such claims but does not have the money to do so.
3. FYI: It was determined on examination by private physicians and physicians at the [redacted] Hospitals that improper use of equipment and poor diagnosis were the cause of the above-mentioned travel.

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